



Creative Writing

Students can try their hand at creative writing by writing a poem, short story, one-act play, film script, or essay about living in Indiana during the Great Depression by examining photographs showing what the economic and social conditions were like in the 1930s. They can use photographs of homesteads, housing, farms, livestock or crops, or people at work or play. If novels, films, memoirs or oral histories are used as an activity, the creative writing could be related to one of those as well.